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NOTES AND QUERIES.

Notes.

CAPTURES MADE BY THE U. S. PRIVATE SCHOONER PERRY, CAPT. JOHN COLEMAN, 1814.

Report of Prisoners brought into the Port of Little Egg Harbour by the Private armed Vessel called the Perry whereof John Coleman is Master.

The Perry numbered five guns and was commissioned in Philadelphia.

Names of the Prisoners captured in H. B. Majesty's Schooner Ballohou, June 20, 1814:

Lieutenant and Commander.

Francis Little.

Midshipmen.

William Wright
Henry Jones.

Carpenter's Mate.

George Howard.

Seamen.

Gilbert James
Duncan McPherson
James Brown
Edward Butler
John Baptist
John Nagle
Joseph Burton
John Shaw
John Clark
John Bailey
James Musgrove.

Names of the Prisoners captured in The Fanny, June 25, 1814.

Supercargo.

William Kingston.

First Officer.

Francis Roach.

Seamen.

Jacob Monson
Peter Cullen
James Cain
William Murphy
William Evans
Michael Delany
Stephen Derolado
James Keating
Nicholas Stafford.

DR. BENJAMIN RUSH'S ACCOUNT OF HIS ATTENDANCE AT THE INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE EFFICIENCY OF THE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY IN CHARGE OF DR WILLIAM SHIPPEN.—

1780, March 14.—Set off to attend as a witness at Dr Shippen's tryal at Morristown [New Jersey]; lodged the first at Morven.

March 15.—Reached Mr. Elias Boudinot's at Baskenridge.

March 16.—Arrived at Morristown; dined at Gen. Greene's and lodged

at Mr. Carmichael's. The Court being adjourned returned to Baskenridge on the 17th.; dined on my way at Maj^{r} Brice's q^{rs} at Mr. Kemble's.

March 18.—Breakfasted and dined with Dr Brown, 2 miles from Mr. Boudinot's. Drank tea with Mr. P. V. B. Livingston's family, after paying my respects to Lord Stirling, who lived under ye same roof wth them.

March 19.—Went to church and heard an excellent sermon from the Rev. Mr. Kennady.

March 20.—Returned to Morristown. Spent one hour in giving my evidence. Dined wth Genl Washington. The General uncommonly cheerful—talked chiefly of the affairs of Ireland.

March 21.—Spent five hours in giving my evidence—dined with Dr Cochran.

March 22.—Spent five hours and a half in giving evidence and answering questions. Dined wth General Greene. Returned to Mr. Boudinot's.

March 23.—Came to Morven.

March 24.—Returned to Philadelphia.

COFFINS FOR HOSPITAL AT LANCASTER.—This to Certify that I delivered to the Hospital in Lancaster 120 coffins from Octob. 6th 1777 to Feby 9th—32 in Decr 1777 and 33 in Jany 1778.

GEORGE BURCKHART.

Feby 12, 1778.

AUBREY NOTES.—Lady Elizabeth Aubrey, daughter of Sir John Aubrey and Marie his wife, was baptized on the 23d day of May, 1645, in the Parish of Llantritlryd, Wales. Sir John Richardson, of England, married Lady Elizabeth Aubrey (date unknown); they emigrated to the island of Jamaica, a good part of which they owned. After the earthquake of 1692 the family came to America. Their son, Joseph Richardson, married Elizabeth Bevan.

LIST OF FRIENDS' MEETING RECORDS WITH NAMES OF THOSE IN CHARGE. Compiled by H. E. Wallace, Jr. Friends' Library, Sixteenth Street above Cherry, Philadelphia.—

Salem, N. J., from 1676, including Greenwich from 1785, and Alloway's Creek from 1678.

Woodbury, N. J., 1783.

Upper Greenwich, N. J., 1740.

Pilesgrove, N. J. (Births and Deaths), 1756–1829.

Haddonfield, N. J. (Marriages), 1695.

Evesham, N. J., 1760.

Upper Evesham, N. J., 1793.

Chester, N. J., 1803.

Chester, N. J., Women's Minutes, 1804–1831.

Great Egg Harbor and Cape May, N. J., Births and Deaths, 1693–1841; Minutes, 1726.

Concord, Pa., 1684, including Chichester Minutes, 1684–1800; Marriages, 1684.

Goshen, Pa., 1721, including Newtown, Willistown, and Whiteland.

Gwynedd, Pa., 1714, including Richland prior to 1742; Providence, 1714; Plymouth and Norristown.

Horsham, Pa., Marriages, 1782–1813; 1814–1828.

Philadelphia, Northern District.

Burlington, N. J., 1678, including Rancocas, Old Springfield, and Mansfield.

Chesterfield, N. J., 1684, including Stonybrook, Amwell, Allentown, Trenton, and Bordentown. Copies of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, and originals of Minutes. (Other records in charge of Anna M. North, 227 East State Street, Trenton, N. J.)

Little Egg Harbor, N. J., 1715.

Upper Springfield, N. J., 1783.

Chester, Pa., 1681, including Providence, Springfield, and Middletown. Henry Mendenhall, Media, Pa.

Birmingham, Pa., including West Chester. Gilbert Cope, West Chester, Pa.

Darby, Pa., 1684. Morgan Bunting, Darby, Pa.

Philadelphia, Arch and Twelfth Streets, including Pine and Orange Streets. Geo. Scattergood, 119 South Fourth Street, Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Race Street, including Spruce.

Radnor, Haverford, Merion, Pa. Friends' Book Store, Fifteenth and Race Streets, Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Green Street. James H. Atkinson, Morristown, N. J.

Philadelphia, Frankford and Germantown. Edw. G. Rhoads, M.D., Germantown, Pa.

Exeter, Reading, Pottsville, Pa. Jos. L. Bailey, Pine Iron Works, Pa.

Mount Holly, N. J., 1776, including Vincentown. Chas. H. Engle, 215 Garden Street, Mount Holly, N. J. Also Friends' Library, Sixteenth Street above Cherry, Philadelphia.

Kingwood, 1744, Quakertown. Laura W. Trout, Quakertown, N. J.

Solebury, 1811. Eastburn Reeder, New Hope, Pa.

Makefield, 1820, including Yardleyville. Barclay Eyre, Dolington, Pa.

Buckingham, 1720. Jos. E. Watson, Buckingham, Pa.

Wrightstown, 1734. Horace T. Smith, Buckmanville, Pa.

Middletown, or Neshaminy, 1683, including Bristol after 1788. Mary Bunting, Woodbourne, Bucks County, Pa.

Falls, including Bristol prior to 1788. Marie Palmer, Newtown, Bucks County, Pa.

Byberry, 1810. Hannah Richardson, Torresdale, Pa.

Richland. Edw. Shaw, Quakertown, Pa.

Abington, 1683. Benj. F. Penrose, Ogontz, Pa.

Horsham, 1782, including N. Dublin, Warminster, Whitemarsh. Anna Moore, Hatboro, Montgomery County, Pa.

Hardwick. Margaret F. Vail, 208 Church Street, Plainfield, N. J. (Hardwick records may be inspected Wednesday afternoon by appointment.)

TAYLOR RECORDS, copied from the Bible in the Library of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania.—

Benjamin Taylor was born the 24th of ye 10th month, 1751, O. S.

Elizabeth Taylor was born ye 27th day of ye 8th month, 1751, O. S., and departed this life the 14th of 1st mo. 1811 aged 59 years 3 mo. & 13 days.

Mary Taylor Daughter of Benjamin & Elizabeth Taylor was born the 29th of ye 7th month, 1773, and Departed this life the 20th Day of the 5th month, 1798.

John Taylor son of Benjamin & Elizabeth Taylor was born the 12th of ye 12th month, 1774, and Departed this life the 19th of ye 8th month, 1776.

Samuel Taylor son of Benjamin & Elizabeth Taylor was born the 5th day of ye 11th month, 1776, departed this life 4th mo. 1814.

Charles Taylor son of Benjamin & Elizabeth Taylor was born the 17th of ye 7th month, 1779, departed this life the 8th day of 5th mo. 1829.

Lydia Taylor Daughter of Benjamin & Elizabeth Taylor was born the 11th of ye 5th month, 1781.

Ann Taylor Daughter of Benjamin & Elizabeth Taylor was born the 23rd day of the 12th month, 1783.

Bernard Taylor son of Benjamin & Elizabeth Taylor was born the 27th of ye 9th month, 1786.

Betsey Taylor Daughter of Benjamin & Elizabeth Taylor was born the 25th Day of the 11th month, 1788.

Mahlon Taylor son of Benjamin & Elizabeth Taylor was born the 4th Day of ye 6th month, 1791.

Benjamin Taylor son of Benjamin & Elizabeth Taylor was born the 7th of the 3rd month, 1793.

David Barton Taylor son of Benjamin & Elizabeth Taylor was born the 29th of ye 1st month, 1795.

Elizabeth Taylor wife of Benjamin Taylor departed this life the 14th day of the 1st mo. 1811 in the 59th year of her age and on the 17th her body was intered in Makefield Burying ground, attended by a Respectable Number of Relatives & Friends.

Benjamin Taylor Husband of Elizabeth and Ann Taylor departed this life the 11th day of the 7 mo. 1832 aged eighty years eight months & seventeen days.

Ann Beans was born the 22nd day of the 10th mo. A.D. 1766.

Henry B. Taylor son of Benjn and Rebecca Taylor was born the 13th of the 9 mo. 1818.

Hannah Ann Taylor Daughter of Benjn and Rebecca Taylor was born the 15th of 3 mo. 1820.

Hannah Ann Taylor Daughter of Benjn and Rebecca Taylor Departed this life 29th of 10 mo. 1821.

Rebecca Taylor wife of Benjamin Taylor departed this life the 14th day of the 6th mo. 1863 Aged 71 years 10 months and 21 days.

Benjamin Taylor son of Benjamin & Elizth Taylor departed this life the 27th day of 9th mo. 1876, aged 83 years 6 months and 16 days.

Henry B. Taylor son of Benj. & Rebecca Taylor departed this life 3 month 29th 1898, aged 79 years 5 months and 16 days.

LETTER OF THOMAS JEFFERSON, 1801.—

WASHINGTON, March 24th, 1801.

I received in due time your favor of February 6th but never till now have had a moment of leisure to make you my acknowledgment for the permission to use your invention. My nailers are employed hammering nails except one cutter for four pennies only, our neighborhood requiring no other cut nails, so that it is but a small business with me. Still, I like to see even small things done to the best advantage. I am not certain that I perfectly understand the manner of making the vice for holding and pushing up the hoop iron, though I have some idea of it, and you do not mention whether you cut your hoop cold or warm.

I cut it warm in which case the frequent changes necessary would waste time. Perhaps you can add to your former favor by taking time to drop me a line of information on this subject which will be thankfully received by

sir
Your humble servant
THOMAS JEFFERSON.

To
MR. THOMAS PERKINS,
Naaman's Creek Mills.

LETTER OF ATTORNEY FROM DOMINICA, JAMES WOODBRIDGE & OTHERS, SHIPPERS OF PRODUCE ON BOARD THE SHIP RESOLUTION TO M. O'BRIEN.—

To All to whom these presents shall Come James Woodbridge Esqr and Richard Neave Esqr., by their Attorney Thomas Rainey of the Island of Dominica Esqr. John Murray of the said Island of Dominica Esqr Surviving Partner of Alexander Henderson late of the Said Island Esqr deceased Samuel Somerville of the Said Island of Dominica Planter, James Mason of the said Island of Dominica Esqr in his own right and for his Partner in Trade, Kender Mason Esqr Trading under the Firm of James Mason and Company, the said James Mason in his own Right and for his Partners in Trade Langford Lovell and the said Kender Mason, Trading under the Firm of Lovell Mason and Company, the said Langford Lovell by his Attorney the said James Mason, Michael White Esqr by his Attorney the said James Mason, the (said) Langford Lovell as Executor of Christopher Hodge Esqr deceased by his Attorney the said James Mason, William Mason Esqr, William Lindley Esqr and Thos. Grey and Waddle Cunyngham Esqrs by the said James Mason *there* Attorney the said James Mason and Robert Vance of the said Island of Dominica Esquires heretofore Trading under the firm of Mason and Vance, the said Robert Vance, James Mason and Kinder Mason Trading under the Firm of Vance and Company and the said Robert Vance in his own right and as Attorney to Jasper Smith Esqr, John Townson and Robert Loisle Merchant and Partners by their Attorneys Hugh Tran and Said Hugh Tran in his own Right and as Attorney to John Tordyce Merchant and Alexander Glenny of the said Island of Dominica Planter, all Capitulants of the Island of Dominica and Shippers of Produce on board the Ship Resolution Whereof Lammert Jans Wadderberg was Master bound from the said Island of Dominica to Amsterdam, Send Greeting. Whereas the said Ship Resolution Whereof Lammert Jans Waterberger was Master did on or about the Seventh day of March now Last past Leave the Port of Residne in the said Island of Dominica, Laden with Sugar and other Produce the Property of the before mentioned Persons bound for the Port of Amsterdam in Holland attended with full and ample Certificates of such Lading being their Property together with a Copy of the Caputilations of the said Island of Dominica when the same was taken by the Forces of his Most Christian Majesty also a copy of his Britanick Majestys Order in Council allowing for a limited time the Ships and Vessels of the Subjects of their high Mightinesses the States General of the United Provinces of Holland to Carry and Transport the Produce of the Island of Grenada the Grenadians, Saint Vin-

sent and Dominica the Property of Capitulants to Holland, And Whereas the said Ship Resolution in Proceeding upon her said intended voy'ge was on the Twenty Eighth day of the said Month of March Illegally taken and Captured by the Private Ship of War called the Earl of Cornwallis Wherof one Henry Davidson was Commander. And the Said Henry Davidson did put on board the said Ship Resolution several of the Crew of the said Ship of War Earl of Cornwallis with orders to Carry the said Ship Resolution to New York or South Carolina in North America, And Whereas the Said Ship Resolution in Proceeding to North America was taken and Captured by the American Brigantine called the Arial, whereof Peter Miller was Master and owned by Robert Morris, Samuel Inglis and William Bingham and others of the City of Philadelphia in the State of Pennsylvania in North America Esqrs., And the said Ship Resolution was Carried to Philadelphia aforesaid And there Libelled as Lawful Prize to the Captors and it was so Proceeded upon in the Court of Admiralty of Pennsylvania aforesaid, That the said Ship Resolution be Restored to her Owners and the Cargo Ladon on bord the said Ship Be forfeited and divided Agreeable to the Prayer of the Libel. And upon an appeal to the Court of Appeal it was Considered and finally adjudged and decreed that the Sentence or decree of the Court of Admiralty of the State of Pennsylvania passed in the Said Cause so far as the same Related to the Cargo of the said Ship Resolution be and the Same was thereby in all its Parts Revoked reversed and annulled. Now Know Ye, that the said Constituents in their Respective Capacities aforesaid Have and each of them Hath made Ordained and Constituted and Appointed and by these presents do and each of them make ordain constitute and Appoint Michael Morgan O'Brien of the said City of Philadelphia, Merchant, to be their true and lawful Attorney.

Signed January 4, 1782. In the presence of,

ABR. SHAW,
Chief Justice of Dominica.

THOS. PRYOR.

Certified to by Louis Gabriel de Beaupuy, Lieutenant for the King of the Island of Dominica and Commander in Chief in the absence of Monsr Marqus Duchellew, Governor of the Said Island. January 5, 1782.

Partial list of the Crew of the Brig Ariel, Peter Miller, Captain, who gave Power of Attorney to Hugh McCahen and J. Rowan, Mch 16th 1781.

Samuel Hendrickson	Christopher Thompson
James Buchanan	Arthur Owen
Adam Hamilton	John Butler
Daniel Sharp	John Christopher
Henry O'Harra	Robert Finney
Henry Reib	Hendrick Armer
Francis Reily	Richard Williamson
Wm. McCowan	James Horrison
Geo. Thomson	John Narraway
Charles Druncn (?)	John Brodly
Thomas Henry	William Henry
John Hay	Jacob Seise.

RATION-PAY ROLL OF THE NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY MILITIA.—Mr. William G. Stanard, Corresponding Secretary and Librarian of the Virginia Historical Society, has donated the original "Just Pay Roll of Rations agreeable to the monthly Pay Roll delivered to Mr. Jordan, Paymaster for Northumberland County, commencing May 16th 1778 and ending June 20th." The following is the list of officers and privates on the roll:

Col. Cookson Long,	Privates Robert Fleming, Jr.,
Lieut. Robert Richy,	" Sam[l] Fleming,
" Clary Campbell,	" John Fleming, Jr.,
Ensign John Reed,	" William Campbell,
" W[m] Reed,	" George Long,
" James Ling,	" Tho[s] McFadden,
" Alex. Reed,	" W[m] McFadden,
Privates David Hannah,	" Joseph McFadden,
" —— Fleming,	" Edw. Ricky,
" James Reed,	" Robt. Fleming Esq.,
" W[m] Reed, Sen[r],	" W[m] Dennis, Sen[r],
" John Price, Sen[r],	" Daniel Devore,
" John Price, Jr.,	" David Devore,
" Frederick Hiner,	" W. Crawford.

LETTER OF ABRAM TAYLOR, PROVINCIAL COUNCILLOR, TO JOHN WHITE, IN LONDON.—

DEAR SIR, PHILADELPHIA 4th Decem[r] 1743.

This is intended to go ℘ Stephenson, who I am told will sail tomorrow, tho' no mortal imagined he would go these ten days; but a sharp spell of Weather being suddenly come on is the cause of this speedy resolution.

I have about £900. This Currency by me which I have been endeavouring to get Bills for, but have not succeded, so that I have come to a resolution to send you the value of four or five hundred pounds stg. in mill'd $8/8 If Till had complied with his Bargain, I had not disappointed you so long.

I am much concern'd at the uneasiness you express about living in England, and that you regret the Expense you have been already at. Why will you be anxious about trifles? We have between us enough left to enable us both to live as comfortably as ever. We were made to live together in this World and ought never to have liv'd assunder. While I have two pounds you shall be welcome to One, which will be more to me with your Company than Ten Thousand without it. If you have any thoughts of coming over, and are of Opinion it may be to your advantage, as I think it may, without keeping you here for life. What better reason need be given (if there be a necessity for giving any) than that of setling your Nephew? This, in case any Accident shou'd happen to you, which God forbid, will be giving him a Credit and supporting him in it; will Qualify and enable him to do something for himself and consequently ease you a great deal. And when his Brother is a little advanced, he may be joined to him, and between them, may contribute very much to your happiness as well as Improve their own fortunes.

I am very much surprised at Ryder's [Attorney-General] Opinion of Fretwell's Right. It was always the Opinion of all the Lawyers in America who understood any thing of the manner of taking up Lands that a Warrant is a Deed or Grant and always proves a Covenant or Agreement, but there is still a much stronger circumstance of an agreem[t]

by the Obligation & Memorand^{m} underneath, which were not only regularly deliver'd and accepted for Pay, but the day after were by the Commissioners put upon Record and remain so in the Rolls office to this day, clear and undefaced as the Warrants themselves, and the Record of them are in the Surveyor Generals, so that if there had been any consent to Vacate the Agreem^{t} these would not have stood uncancelled. And it is said here, it will be necessary for Messrs Penns to show the Fretwell's consent to Cancell or make it void, but that cannot be done for the Obligation &c. were delivered up to Fretwell's Executors, and I have a letter in my hands that mentions the Goods and the Persons they were bo^{t} of in order to Pay for the Land. If it be objected that the Right ceases by the length of time, then all the Old Rights in this Province, as well as those of Maryland & the Jerseys, must be bad, which no body will venture to say on this side of the Water. In a word, Fretwell's death, wch was ab^{t} two years after, and his leaving a young Son, either careless or not capable of looking after these things, was the sole cause of its being delay'd so long; whether that will bar the Right of the Heirs, I am unable to determine.

I cannot say any thing about Beasly's Right yet, tho' I find his Name in the Map of the Province, and if he has any Land, it is somewhere towards Farmers. I have had no answer ab^{t} Lee's, but will write you very soon about both. I have enquired ab^{t} Page's Land and find he has two tracts, one of 1500 and the other of 2723 acres, in Bucks, upon a Western Branch of Delaware. It will be worth buying, as any land will at the rate of Ten pounds a hundred acres, if it has been taken up or located, else not. Whatever you can agree for, if you will Interest me one half I'll make good the Ingagement, and if they will take Bonds for a year, I would have you go as far as five or Six thousand pounds. I make no doubt but we may make more money that way than by English Goods, wch are ten times worse than ever. 3/4^{ters} of mine lye unsold and the Hats and blankets moth eaten. I'll engage with you in any thing else you may propose, but of them and the Pay for them, I have really a Surfeit, tho' I think if any Man breathing can make advantage of them, you can.

I have got a bill for £200 Stg. wch I must put up in another cover, being obliged to conclude this wth all Our Loves to you, Your Nephews and Mr & Mrs Bedford, to whom make my Wife's & Jack's compliments for the Gown and desire him to excuse my not writing for a few days. I am,

Dear Sir,

Your most affectionate

and sincere ffriend &c.,

ABRAM TAYLOR.

Queries.

CONWELL—FISHER.—"Yeates Conwell and Rebekah Fisher, his wife, arrived in Delaware Bay, and cast anchor at Reedy Island April 15, 1699," reads the ancient record in the Bible. I believe they became residents of Lewes, Delaware. Information is solicited.

WASHINGTON, D. C. ROBERT CONWELL.

INSKEEP.—Wanted, the names and addresses of those who are related to the Inskeep family of New Jersey.

4508 SPRINGFIELD AVENUE, PHILADELPHIA. H. E. WALLACE, JR.

Replies.

HOOPES (PENNA. MAG., Vol. XXVII. page 126).—Grace Hoopes's daughter Grace became the first wife of my progenitor, John Rowland, of Tredyffrin Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania. She was a member of Goshen Meeting of Friends, and for her marriage contrary to the discipline of that Society made acknowledgment December 20, 1743. John Rowland was one of the incorporators and also one of the accounting wardens of St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church, Great Valley, Chester County.

John and Grace Hoopes had one child, a daughter, Susannah, born September 18, 1743, who died in early life. John Hoopes married a second time, in May of 1747, and by this marriage had another daughter, Susannah, who was born November 17, 1766. It is evident that Grace died prior to that date.

HENRY J. ROWLAND.

Book Notices.

THE WARREN, JACKSON, AND ALLIED FAMILIES, BEING THE ANCESTRY OF JESSE WARREN AND BETSEY JACKSON. By Betsey Warren Davis. Philadelphia, 1903. 4to, pp. 207. Printed for private circulation by J. B. Lippincott Co.

The compilation of this work has required energy and painstaking effort. It is finely illustrated, printed on excellent paper, and one of the most attractive genealogies that has recently come under our notice. The allied families under the ancestry of Jesse Warren are the Moors, Fletcher, Thorndike, Stratton, Patch, Parker, Spalding, Jefts, Butterfield, Underwood, Ober, Wheeler, Merriam, Richardson, Larkin, Hale, Morgan, Norman, Willard, Howard, Woodbury, Paulsgrave, and Dixey; under the ancestry of Betsey Jackson, the families of Pierce, Darby, Greenwood, Comee, Munroe, Trowbridge, Conant, Walton, Smith, Porter, Grant, Ward, Atherton, and Mansfield.

YEAR-BOOK OF THE PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY. New York, 1903. 8vo, pp. 208.

We have received a copy of the Year-Book of the Pennsylvania Society in New York, edited by Barr Ferree, Secretary of the Society. In addition to giving an account of the work of the Society, it contains much historical matter relating to Pennsylvania, the interest of which is enhanced by copious illustrations. The Society was organized in 1899, and has a membership of upward of five hundred.

STORIES OF OLD NEW HAVEN.—The Abbey Press, of 114 Fifth Avenue, New York City, will shortly publish an illustrated book of considerable historical interest, entitled "Stories of Old New Haven." The author, Ernest H. Baldwin, Ph.D., is a lecturer in history at Yale University, and himself a native of New Haven. Being a descendant of one of the original settlers of Quinnipiac, he spent most of his life among the scenes which he describes. Dr. Baldwin has made many contributions to historical literature, among the most important being the biography of "Joseph Galloway, the Loyalist Politician," which has appeared in this Magazine.